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CHAPTER I.

Opening and Organization.

The Central Illinois Conference of the Methodist Church, commenced its sixth session in the city of Lacon, on Wednesday, August 28th, 1861, at 8 o'clock A. M.

Bishop Edward R. Ames, in the chair.

The opening religious services consisting of reading the Scriptures, singing and prayer were conducted by the President of the Conference.

The Secretary of the last Conference called the roll, and ninety-one members answered to their names.

The Conference then elected John P. Brooks, Secretary, Joseph S. Cumming, G. M. Irwin, Assistant Secretaries, and B. C. Swartz, Statistical Secretary.

The usual standing committees were ordered, and constituted by vote of Conference, as follows, namely:

Stewards.—A. Keller, C. M. Wright, Geo. W. Miller.

On Missions.—The Presiding Elders.

On Public Worship.—J. W. Flowers, S. B. Smith.

On Sunday Schools.—J. B. Quinby, J. B. Craig, W. Underwood, J. T. Whitson, J. Mathews, J. B. Mills, A. C. Price, T. S. Cotton, G. B. Snedaker, N. Peterson.

On Education.—S. G. J. Worthington, M. L. Haney, A. Morey, W. H. Hunter, G. C. Woodruff, W. P. Graves, J. G. Evans, J. B. Grundy, C. C. Knowlton, N. O. Westergreen, O. S. Munsell, H. B. Taylor, P. T. Rhodes.

On the Bible Cause.—N. J. Giddings, G. G. Worthington, J. H. Scott.

On Tracts.—N. C. Lewis, H. Ritchie, C. Springer.

To Publish Minutes.—Henry B. Taylor, Joseph S. Cumming, N. Lewis.

Financial Agent of Minute Publishing Fund.—P. T. Rhodes.

Auditing Committee.—John Borland.

Post Offices.—Wm. Underwood.

Necessitous Cases.—The Stewards.

Temperance.—L. B. Kent, A. H. Hepperly, L. P. Crouch.

To Collect Accounts Due Book Room at New York.—G. G. Worthington.

On the State of the Country.—S. G. J. Worthington, W. S. Peterson, P. T. Rhodes, W. H. Hunter, A. D. McCool, G. W. Brown, J. G. Evans, M. Spurlock, H. Ritchie, A. J. Anderson.

CHAPTER II.

Disciplinary Questions.

Question 1.—*Who are admitted on trial?*

Ans.—None.

Question 2.—*Who remain on trial?*

Ans.—Stephen Brink, Joseph Westley, J. H. Sanders, A. K. Tullis, H. Apple, Jr., G. W. Gray, E. Carlson, S. L. Hamilton, J. Furguson, P. Warner. Geo. Lokey, H. Popejoy, Jos. Millington, Elias Bruner, Horace Tiffany, H. M. Cornell, H. H. Crosier, D. Ackerman.

Question 3.—*Who are admitted into full connection?*

Ans.—B. B. Kennedy, A. C. Frick, D. L. Main, R. A. Cowan, L. Lindquist, G. W. Gue, P. I. Williams, E. H. Penfield, V. M. Dewey, Myron Dewey, R. Pierce, J. M. Cosler, J. D. Smith.

Question 4.—*Who are the Deacons?*

Ans.—B. B. Kennedy, A. C. Frick, D. L. Main, R. A. Cowan, G. W. Gue, P. I. Williams, L. Lindquist, E. H. Penfield, V. M. Dewey, M. Dewey, R. Pierce, J. M. Cosler, J. D. Smith, S. A. Elliott, J. E. Rutledge, M. D. Heckard, A. C. Higgins, A. Merrill, J. J. Fleharty, P. A. Crist, J. W. Stewart, G. W, Havermale, J. C. Knowlton, Z. R. Jones, J. B. Dille, J. L. Harris, O. W. Pollard, G. M. Morey, M. Spurlock, J. B. Smith, A. E. Day, J. Westley, J. Shelden, N. Peterson, G. W. Shaffer, W. J. Stubbles, A. Irvine.

Question 5.—*Who have been elected and ordained Elders this year?*

Ans.—N. O. Westergreen, A. J. Anderson, W. B. Carithers, B. Presson, J. A. Windsor, J. A. Bartles, E. Wasmuth, Thomas Cotton, G. B. Snedaker C. C. Knowlton, G. R. Palmer, R. Kinne, John Cavett, Wm. S. Peterson.

Question 6.—*Who have located this year?*

Ans.—P. Newburg, A. G. Pierce, R. C. Rowley, W. D. F. Lummis, H. J. Humphrey, D. A. Falkenburg, E. Summers.

Question 7.—*Who are the superannuated or worn out preachers?*

Ans.—G. G. Worthington, J. L. Kirkpatrick, J. O. Gilbert, R. H. Moffett, B. P. Wheat.

Question 8.—*Who have been expelled from the connection this year?*

Ans.—None.

Question 9.—*Who have withdrawn from the connection this year?*

Ans.—None.

Question 10.—*Are all the preachers blameless in life and conversation?*

Ans.—The character of each was examined and passed in open Conference.

Question 11.—*Who have died this year?*

Ans.—None.

QUESTION 12.— *What is the number of church members?*

ANS.—Members,	17,416
Probationers,	1,792
Local Preachers,	258
Total,	19,466
Total last year,	19,520
Decrease,	54

QUESTION 13.— *What amount is necessary to meet the claims of the superannuates, widows and orphans?*

ANS.—$1,478.

QUESTION 14.— *What has been collected on the above, and how applied?*

ANS.—Conference collections,	$275 00
Chartered fund,	25 00
	$300,00

Distributed as follows:

G. G. Worthington,	$41 00
W. J. Beck,	47 00
John Morey,	44 00
Mrs. Haney,	21 00
Mrs. Wooliscroft,	22 00
Mrs. Soule and children,	30 00
Mrs. Fiddler's children,	8 00
Mrs. Bester's children,	14 00
Mrs. Gregg,	20 00
Mrs. Head,	20 00
Mrs. Wilson and children,	33 00
	$300 00

Collected for necessitous cases, $10.63.
Distributed as follows:

Victor Vitting,	$4 00
N. Peterson,	4 00
Mrs. Wilson,	2 63
	$10 63

Special collection at Conference for necessitous cases, $46.16.
Distributed as follows:

Mrs. Wilson,	$23 08
Mrs. Wooliscroft,	23 08
	$46 16

QUESTION 15.— *Where are the Preachers stationed this year?*

ANS.—*Peoria District*, S. G. J. WORTHINGTON, P. E.
Peoria 1st charge, J. S. Cumming.
Peoria 2d charge, J. W. Stewart.
Peoria Circuit, John Luccock.

Timber, - - - J. Furguson.
Smithville, - - J. C. Knowlton.
French Creek, - G. W Shaffer.
Brimfield, - - A. J. Jones.
Kickapoo, - - J. B. Quinby.
Princeville, - - - A. Keller.
La Prairie Centre, - J. S. Millsaps.
Chillicothe and Rome, - W. J. Beck.
Mt. Hedding, - H. H. Keith and H. Apple, Jr.

CANTON DISTRICT,

H. SUMMERS, P. E.

Canton, - - L. P. Crouch.
Liverpool, J. B. Craig, W. A. Presson.
Otto, - - To be supplied.
Ipavia, - - - J. Cavett.
Lewistown, - - W. S. Peterson.
Cuba, C. Springer, B. Kelley, supplied.
Aron, - - Wm. Haney.
Knoxville, - - O. M. Pollard.
Abington, Ct., - G. W. Havermale.
Fairview, - - F. R. Bogges.
Farmington, B. C. Swartz, G.W. Gue.
Gilson, - - - J. B. Mills.
Fulton Seminary, H. B. Taylor, Principal, member of Lewistown Quarterly Conference.

MACOMB DISTRICT,

A. MAGEE, P. E.

Macomb, - - A. D. McCool.
Tennessee, - - - S. Brink.
Carthage, - - Geo. W. Miller.
Hamilton, - - G. W. Gray.
Dallas City, - M. D. Heckard.
La Harpe, - - D. Oliver.
Prairie City, - W. Underwood.
Ellison, - - A. Morey.
Blandinville, B. B. Kennedy, V. M. Dewey.
Bushnell, - - M. L. Haney.
Mound Church, - A. C. Higgins.
Pennington's Point, F. M. Chaffe, Chaplains in the U. S. Army, and members of Bushnell Quarterly Conference, R. Haney, and Geo. R. Palmer.

MONMOUTH DISTRICT,

J. MOREY, P. E.

Monmouth, - - A. C. Price.
Young America, - H. M. Cornell.
Olena, - - - S. B. Baker.
Oquawka, - - J. E. Rutledge.
Kirkwood, - - C. M. Wright.
Henderson, - - H. Presson.
Woodhull, - - Thos. Watson.
Oneida, - W. Watson, R. D. Russell supplied.
Abington Station, - A. Fisher.
Berwick, - - W. B. Carithers.
Galesburg, - W. H. Hunter.
Utah, - - - A. K. Tullis.
Sunbeam, - - S. A. Elliott.

ROCK ISLAND DISTRICT,

E. RANSOM, JR., P. E.

Rock Island, - - J. P. Brooks
Moline, - - E. Wasmuth.
Port Byron, J. T. Whitson, J. J. Flaharty.
Rock River, - - J. Westley.
Geneseo, - - N. C. Lewis.
Cambridge, - G. C. Woodruff.
Deanington, - - J. Sheldon.
Camden Mills, - To be supplied.
Illinois City, - B. E. Kauffman.
New Boston, - - J. H. Scott.
Millersburg, - J. D. Taylor.
Berlin, - - - J. N. Bartels.

KEWANEE DISTRICT,

J. CHANDLER, P. E.

Kewanee, - - W. P. Graves.
Atkinson, - - - R. Kinne.
Sheffield and Anawan, J.T. Linthicum.
Tiskilwa and Buda, - G. M. Irwin.
Spatchwine, - - D. S. Main.
Henry, - - G. W. Brown.
Wethersfield, - - J. D. Smith.
Wyoming, J. Mathews, S. S. Hamilton.
Toulon and Lafayette, W. J Smith.
Victoria, U. J. Giddings, J. Kerns.
Galva, - - A. H. Hepperly.
Weatherfield, - G. M. Morey.

LA SALLE DISTRICT,

H. RITCHIE, P. E.

La Salle, - - J. C. Ryholt.
Lemoyne, - - G. L. Harris.
Magnolia, - - M. Spurlock.
Tonica, - - R. A. Cowan.
Lenona, - - S. B. Smith.
Minonk, - - W. C. Cumming.
Marshall, - W. J. Stubbles.
Lacon, - - C. C. Knowlton.
Granville, - - J. S. Sanders.
New Michigan, - - H. Tiffany.
Reading, - - D. Ackerman.
So. Ottawa, - R. Smithson.
Grand Ridge, - Z. R. Jones.

MIDDLEPORT DISTRICT,

Z. HALL, P. E.

Middleport, - P. T. Rhodes.
Milford, - - P. I. Williams.
Ashgrove, - - J. M. Cosler.
Mount Langum, - E. H. Penfield.
Chebansc, - - To be supplied.
Round Grove, - - J. Millington.
Kankakee, - - - E. Bruner.
Sulphur Springs, - To be supplied.
Mazon, - A. E. Day, G. Lokey.
Waupekan, - - M. Dewey.
Avoca, - - - J. Grundy.
Chatsworth, - - H. Popejoy.
Spring Creek, - To be supplied.
Pontiac, - - - Thos. Cotton.
Onarga, - - - D. M. Hill.
Loda, - - - J. B. Dill.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT,

F. SMITH, P. E.

Washington, - B. Applebee, Jr.,
Groveland, J. Borland, J. B. Smith.
Pekin, - - - B. Presson.
Dillon, - - H. H. Crosier.
Mackinaw, - - A. C. Frick.
Bloomington, - - L. B. Kent.
Hudson, - - - A Bower.
Lexington, - - - J. G. Evans.
Chenoa, - - - F. M. Smith.
Peasant Hills, - G. B. Snedaker.
Kappa, - - - P. Warner.
Metamora, - J. Windsor, R. Pierce.
El Paso, - - P. A. Crist.
Illinois Wesleyan University, O. S. Munsel, President.

SWEDE MISSION DISTRICT,

P. CHALLMAN, P. E.

Indiana, - N. O. Westergreen.
Chicago, A. J. Anderson, E. Carlson.
La Salle, - - To be supplied.
Victoria, - - To be supplied.
Galesburg, - - L. Lindquist.
Fairfield, - - - N. Peterson.
Webster, - - To be supplied.
Andover, - - - A. Errickson.
Rockford, - - V. Vitting.
Moline, - - To be supplied.
J. W. Flowers, transferred to Rock River Conference.

QUESTION 16.—*Where shall the next session of Conference be held?*
ANS.—At Galesburg. Time not given.

CHAPTER III.---Statistical Table.

APPOINTMENTS.	PREACHERS.	Claims.	Receipts.	Members.	Probationers.	Deaths.	Local Preachers.	Baptisms.		Churches.	Value.	Parsonages.	Value.	For Conference Claimants.	Missions.	Tract Cause.	Bible Cause.	Sunday School Union	Schools.	Officrs and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.
								Adults.	Infants.													
PEORIA DISTRICT,	John Luccock,	$500	$325																			
Peoria, first charge,	S. G. J. Worthington,	600	600	138	4	3	2	8	8	1	$10,000	1	$3,000	$48 10	$61 61	.....	$4 45	$6 00	1	17	135	750
Peoria, second charge,	N. C. Lewis,	450	157	76	8	1	.....	.....	1	1	500	.....	.....	2 35	4 20	$0 25	10 00	0 25	1	16	80	300
Peoria Circuit,	J. Borland,	483	367	90	3	.....	2	2	8	2	1,600	.....	.....	4 00	12 00	5 00	.....	5 00	3	30	175	600
Timber,	B. Presson,	400	200	125	12	6	3	24	18	3	1,800	1	400	.....	9 75	.....	.....	.....	2	30	150	500
Smithville,	J. Furgurson,	450	257	150	9	3	5	.....	6	3	2,000	1	600	2 30	16 40	1 22	0 50	2 55	3	58	239	725
French Creek,	J. W. Shaffer,	225	140	132	6	.....	2	1	.....	1	500	.....	.....	.....	12 00	.....	.....	1 00	4	43	200	283
Brimfield,	A. J. Jones,	450	270	104	6	.....	2	8	9	1	800	1	500	3 01	37 35	.....	.....	2 60	2	20	116	473
Kickapoo,	J. B. Quinby,	425	325	129	13	2	2	2	4	2	3,000	1	650	.....	27 00	.....	.....	3 00	4	42	155	721
Princeville,	A. Keller,	500	254	178	20	4	1	8	16	1	800	1	700	1 15	6 85	.....	.....	2 00	2	20	180	275
La Prairie,	J. H. Scott,	400	400	116	28	1	2	.....	6	1	2,000	1	600	1 90	7 10	.....	.....	.....	5	31	210	600
Chillicothe and Rome,	J. S. Millsaps,	425	356	64	2	.....	.....	.....	4	1	800	1	500	5 00	10 00	.....	.....	2 00	2	18	80	400
Mt. Hedding,	J. C. Knowlton,	375	311	179	4	.....	4	7	9	3	4,200	.....	.....	7 00	15 00	3 50	.....	3 50	4	24	108	1,030
	H. Apple,	150	120																			
CANTON DISTRICT,	R. Haney, P. E.,	330	280																			
Canton,	L. P. Crouch,	450	450	190	1	.....	1	.....	2	1	5,000	1	500	.....	16 75	.....	.....	.....	1	20	200	375
Liverpool,	W. A. Presson,	450	400	200	13	4	2	30	45	2	3,000	1	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	40	200	1,000
Otto,	Supply,	120	118	61	9	.....	.....	13	12													
Ipavia,	J. Cavett,	420	420	148	12	3	3	6	25	3	3,000	1	400	.....	15 00	.....	.....	.....	3	25	160	500
Lewiston,	M. L. Haney,	500	400	145	15	2	.....	10	7	1	3,600	1	500	.....	5 95	.....	.....	.....	1	15	95	500
Cuba,	C. Springer,	450	450	312	25	7	2	19	21	6	6,000	1	500	.....	44 00	.....	12 00	1 28	10	99	460	1,000
Avon,	S. Brink,	302	302	156	4	4	3	9	3	1	2,000	.....	.....	1 70	6 65	.....	.....	.....	4	28	240	700
Prairie City,	J. B. Craig,	500	500	150	1	.....	1	7	4	2	4,000	.....	.....	.....	23 25	.....	.....	.....	2	22	160	600
Abingdon,	A. C. Higgins,	400	300	157	9	1	2	11	13	1	800	1	400	5 10	29 70	.....	37 00	.....	1	23	95	500
Abingdon Circuit,	W. B. Carithers,	400	250	117	5	1	1	5	7	2	2,000	1	350	1 25	5 15	.....	.....	.....	3	28	130	500
Fairview,	F. R. Boggess,	482	340	215	4	1	7	6	.....	4	4,000	1	600	1 50	4 00	.....	.....	.....	5	35	225	525
	G. W. Gue,	110	81																			
Farmington,	B. C. Swarts,	535	535	372	3	4	4	5	10	4	4,500	1	700	1 00	47 05	0 56	25 00	1 00	4	48	250	1,218
	H. M. Cornell,	190	190																			
Bernick,	S. A. Elliott,	416	300	145	8	1	5	5	13	1	600	1	400	.....	10 00	5 00	30 00	2 33	4	27	150	250
MACOMB DISTRICT,	A. Magee, P. E.,	450	260																			
Macomb,	G. R. Palmer,	400	250	106	.....	1	.....	.....	3	1	7,000	1	1,200	.....	8 75	.....	.....	.....	1	20	90	400
Tennessee,	B. B. Kennedy,	400	245	219	11	.....	3	17	12	2	1,000	.....	.....	.....	23 05							
Carthage,	D. Oliver,	450	211	205	39	2	.....	15	3	2	1,000	1	600	.....	2 15	.....	15 80	6 03	2	30	455	460
Hamilton,	W. Underwood,	425	165	155	10	.....	1	4	4	1	1,000	.....	.....	.....	13 20	2 00	2 00	2 00	1	8	40	90

Nauvoo,	Supply,	200	120	60					4										1	9	42	122
Dallas City,	V. M. Dewey,	164	70	69	17			4	7					1 25	7 00				1	5	35	260
Laharpe,	Wm. Haney,	500	250	215		2	3		5	2	2,500	1	600	1 95	5 00				4	30	149	1,313
Terrehaute,																						
Ellison,	A. Morey,	450	223	220	20	1	4	12	12					5 80	25 77		50 50		2	16	80	400
Blandinville,	G. W. Miller,	525	480	245	5	2	6	9	13	3	3,000	1	600	3 75	34 50			0 25	4	45	140	400
Bushnell,	W. G. Peterson,	440		200	10	1	2		12	1	300	1	150	5 00	15 00	2 00		3 00	6	60	175	150
Bardolph,	J. W. Stewart,	250	145	145	20	2	2	8	11						35 00				1	8	40	80
Pennington's Point,	M. D. Heckard,	250	170	119	4		1	7	9	1	1,500				7 50				1			
Monmouth District,	H. Summers, P. E.,	560	485																			
Monmouth,	R. C. Rowley,	600	421	145						1	9,000				9 00				1	10	75	
Young America,	Supply,	160	160																			
Olena,	S. B. Baker,	480	370	132		5			14	2	2,500	1	500		12 00				2	20	75	500
Oquawka,	S. G. Havermale,	433	340	201	22	1		6	13	2	5,000	1	500	5 20	51 95				2	34	135	413
Keithsburg,	J. B Mills,	350	293	82	9	1		7	3	1	1,000			1 00	2 00		18 00		1	15	100	269
Ohio Grove,	J. E. Rutledge,	375	207	132	10	3	3	12	14	2	1,600	1	250		4 25				4	42	184	380
Henderson,	H. Presson,	500	300	150	55	3	1	15	4			1	200		23 00			0 80	4	14	150	760
Woodhull,	T. Watson,	540	400	163		4	4	2	4			1	500	4 00	20 00			2 00	5	48	212	522
Oneida,	W. Watson,	420	383	195	69	2	2	22	5	lot	50	1	900	5 10	50 00				4	52	284	375
Gilson,	C. M. Wright,	430	430	277	29		2	40	10	2	3,000	1	450		20 54		50 00		4	44	268	775
Knoxville,	O. W. Pollard,	450	275	201	6	3		1	8	3	2,700	1	800	5 75	30 75				3	19	127	430
Galesburg,	Wm. H. Hunter,	600	600	120	5	1	2	1	2	1	4,000	1	1,200	6 08	42 40				1	16	90	400
Tylerville,	Supply,	300	125	60	6	1		1							4 75				2	12	60	260
Rock Island District,	E. Ransom, P. E.,	600	450																			
Rock Island,	J. P. Brooks,	500	500	125	7		1		5	1	12,000	1	2,000	6 00	57 53	2 00	13 00	5 40	1	20	178	550
Moline,	E. Wasmuth,	400	365	92	6	1	1		3	1	2,000			2 00	28 50	2 33		2 38	1	22	200	450
Carbon Cliff,	Supply,	200	50	28	26	1	1	7		1	500				6 10			2 43	2	16	90	250
Rock River,	J. Westley,	375	375	302	53	2	3	15	12	1	4,000	1	800					4 50	5	25	325	375
Geneseo,	A. D. McCool,	475	315	116	5				1	1	2,000	1	900	2 00	7 00	2 00		4 00	1	16	110	100
Cambridge,	G. C. Woodruff,	440	215	122		1	2			1	2,000	1	300	3 96	7 36			1 48	1	8	30	200
Deaningtón,	H. J. Humphrey,	300	200	90	1														1	6	35	180
Camden,	J. Houston,	464	263	357	6	4	7	20	11	4	6,000	1	250		53 25	4 00	26 00		10	16	365	1,000
	E. Summers,	341	200																			
Illinois City,	J. Sheldon,	400	327	94	5		3		8	1	1,000	1	500	2 75	2 25	1 50		2 35	4	42	196	450
New Boston,	J. N. Bartles,	360	275	55	32	1	1	10		1	500	1	400	1 00	6 00	2 00	12 50	2 00	2	15	100	200
Millersburg,	B. E. Kauffman,	400	308	174	57		1	16	13	1	2,000			2 13	24 85	9 50		7 04	2	16	75	100
Berlin,	D. A. Falkenbury,	425	250	66	7		1		4	1	6 0	1	600	1 25					1	17	37	100
Port Byron,	J. T. Whitson,	500	373	280	80	2	5	50	20	3	4,000	1	400	11 17	54 25			12 13	6	71	352	825
Kewanee District,	J. Chandler, P. E.,	500	400																			
Kewanee,	J. S. Cumming,	540	540	247	24	1	5	5	15	3	5,000			27 30	265 00	7 50		7 50	4	34	476	760
Burns,	G. M. Morey,	310	310	76	4	1	2	5	8			1	200	3 00	40 00				2	14	80	30
Sheffield and Annawan,	J. L. Harris,	500	300	115	12	2	2	2	9	2	900	1	500						2	24	140	450
Bucta,	R. Kinne,	490	340	101	8	3			3			1	350	1 00	13 00				2	17	90	400
Tiskilwa,	A. H Hepperly,	500	300	48	4	2		2	4	1	4,000			1 00	5 00			1 00	1	12	80	250
Smatchwine,	J. Kearns,	200	150	53	10	2		1		1	1,000				3 00				2	18	60	125
Henry,	G. W Brown,	440	317	78	2	8	2	1	3	1	1,400	1	600	3 00	6 15				1	14	100	360
	J. T. Linthicum,	550	300																			
Whitefield,	S. L. Hamilton,	150	107	300	16	5	6			2	2,000	1	800	5 00	10 00			1 00	5	45	215	720
Wyoming,	J. Matthews,	530	500	268	20	4	3	6	8	4	8,000			1 20	32 00			1 50	8	42	250	1,110

STATISTICAL TABLE.---(Continued.)

APPOINTMENTS.	PREACHERS.	Claims.	Receipts.	Members.	Probationers.	Deaths.	Local Preachers.	Baptisms.		Churches.	Value.	Parsonages.	Value.	For Conference Claimants.	Missions.	Tract Cause.	Bible Cause.	Sunday School Union	Schools.	Off'rs and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.
								Adults.	Infants.													
Toulon and Lafayette,	W. J. Smith,	$570	$540	332	14	6	4	25	22	3	$4,000	.....	.....	8 88	110 00	.....	.....	$ 7 73	7	53	280	850
.....	L. L. Main,	200	189																			
Victoria	U. J. Giddings,	550	444	319	32	3	5	.....	.....	2	4,000	1	1,000	6 48	13 90	.....	.....	1 50	7	56	293	874
Galva,	W. P Graves,	550	550	120	5	2	1	2	3	1	2,000	.....	.....	.....	30 00	.....	.....	5 00	1	18	100	365
Wethersfield,	J. J. Flcharty,	200	160	111	4	.....	3	3	7	1	1,800	.....	.....	3 50	18 50	1 15	.....	4 08	2	17	99	485
LASALLE DISTRICT,	J. W. Flowers, P. E....	600	490																			
Lasalle	J. G. Graves,	550	500	100	12	.....	5	.....	1	1	1,200	.....	.....	.....	30 00	2 00	.....	.....	2	20	100	400
Henepin	A. C. Price,	336	336	77	1	.....	3	.....	1	1	5,000	1	400	6 13	35 50	5 00	.....	.....	1	23	133	550
Magnolia,	G. M. Irwin,	400	2 0	100	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	2,400	1	350	.....	3 50	.....	.....	.....	1	12	50	100
Tonica,	P. A. Crist,	400	300	110	12	2	4	.....	1	2	4,500	.....	.....	2 33	22 00	.....	.....	1 00	2	20	112	300
Wenona,	R. A. Corwin,	360	360	180	28	1	3	33	10	2	3,500	.....	.....	.....	36 50	.....	28 00	1 83	3	56	267	425
Minonk,	P. I. Williams,	400	140	51	7	1	.....	4	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	2	18	60	200
.....	B. P. Wheat,	200	120																			
Marshall,	Supply,	400	244	187	4	.....	1	.....	.....	2	2,800	1	1,000	4 50	.....	.....	36 00	.....	3	13	130	472
Lacon	S. B. Smith,	.....	.....	75	1	.....	2	.....	.....	2	7,000	1	200	3 50	10 00	.....	15 00	1 00	1	15	40	150
Spring Bay	J. J. Sanders,	150	103	59	6	.....	1	2	4	1	500	.....	.....	5 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	17	74	300
New Michigan,	R. Price,	300	200	135	6	1	4	.....	3	1	1,400	1	150	.....	12 18	.....	.....	.....	5	53	185	1,190
Reading,	H. Tiffany,	410	270	100	27	2	2	.....	1	1	1,000	1	75	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	3	32	100	250
Ottawa	A. Irvine,	.....	.....	98	11	1	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	50	.....	11 41	.....						
Grand Rapids,	A. K. Tullis,	325	325	125	13	3	.....	11	2	.....	.....	1	20	.....	16 00	.....	.....	.....	4	21	300	400
MIDDLEPORT DISTRICT,	Z. Hall, P. E.,	420	276																			
Middleport	J. Millington,	400	220	132	29	1	4	.....	.....	1	.....	1	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31	16	95	
Prairie Green,	Z. R. Jones,	300	150	70	10	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	1	6	30	30
Ash Grove,	J. M. Cosler,	300	230	132	32	2	2	13	5	2	2,000	2	700	.....	3 50	.....	.....	.....	4	30	175	200
Loda,	T. Colton,	450	300	.....	75	15	.....	2	2	.....	.....	1	400	1 00	16 00	1 00	.....	2 00	3	30	100	250
Onarga,	D. M. Hill,	400	400	130	.....	.....	4	.....	1	1	20,00	1	900	.....	20 00	.....	9 65	.....	1	12	100	200
Iroquoise,	R. Stoup,	350	150	150	15	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	70	
.....	E. H. Penfield,	175	175																			
Mt. Langum,	E. Bruner,	400	150	96	16	2	5	8	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	5	42	136	330
Chebanse,	M. Dewey,	324	73	52	10	.....	6	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 05	.....	50	50	9	56	200	400
Round Grove,	A. E. Day,	300	187	49	26	1	2	8	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	6 05	1 00						
Kankakee,	Supply,	175	175	48	7	1	1	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 05	4 60	.....	8 00	.....	3	15	85	125
Sulphur Springs,	Supply,	300	200	40	38	.....	2	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	24	167	250
Mazon	J. B. Dille,	365	365	188	98	1	2	32	2	1	600	2	800	1 60	37 00	.....	.....	.....	3	15	199	620
Waupekan,	J. D. Smith,	385	213	30	13	1	.....	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	16 50	50	.....	3 82	1	7	26	112

Avoca	John Grundy,	500	500	260	12	1	5	10	6	2	4,000			0 50	53 95		10 00		8	75	327	795
Five Mile Grove,	H. Popejoy,	400	144	75	17	2	1		2						4 38			0 10	4	24	122	225
Spring Creek,	G. Lokey,	150	50	53	17	1	1		1										3	21	100	250
Pontiac	M. Spurlock,	450	400	40			1	5		1	1,500				5 87	0 25		0 30	1		250	
Swede Mission District,	P. Challman, P. E.,	700	700																			
Indiana,	N. O. Westergreen,	2 0	200	66	24	1	2		14	2	1,600				7 05							
Chicago	J. Bredburg,	550	550	137	15	1			25	1	8,000				44 37				1	3	23	75
Chicago,	E. Carlson,	225	225																			
La Salle,	A. Ericksen,	300	300	57	41		1		8	1	1,500			4 75	50 00				1	3	20	50
La Salle,	Supply,	200	200																			
Victoria,	P. Newbord,	300	160	186	33	1	2		9	3	2,400	1	560	8 00	40 00			2 00				
Victoria	Supply,	100	100																			
Galesburg,	L. Linquist,	100	100	140	15				12	2	2,500			5 00	75 00	2 00		2 00	1	6	30	50
Fairfield	N. Peterson,	350	330	103	24		2		10	2	1,000	1	400	4 00	20 00	3 90			1	6	36	50
Webster,	Supply,	280	280	56	1				6					2 25	15 00							
	Supply,	50	50																			
Rockford	V. Vitting,	400	400	10	1	1			5	1	800				12 00							
Andover	A. J. Anderson,	275	201	168	10	4	1		10	3	2,500	1	300		8 00							
	Supply,	50	50																			
Washington District	Frank Smith, P. E.,	550	418																			
Washington,	B. Applebee, Jr.,	500	450	144	10	1		7	1	1	800	1	1,200	5 75	30 00	6 00	15 00	5 00	2	27	200	360
Groveland	H. H. Keith,	517	358	180	7	2	5		3	3	2,000	1	400	2 00	19 00				2	20	60	223
Groveland,	P. Warner,	200	136																			
Pekin,	J. Windsor,	375	223	65	25	3		1	5	1	1,500	1	1,000		7 50				1	20	100	400
Dillon,	J. B. Smith,	250	100	75	4		1			2	1,400				11 15				2	12	60	200
Mackinaw	D. Ackerman,	40	260	172	9	1	3	1	7	3	3,000				20 00				3	41	200	800
Bloomington	C. C. Knowlton,	530	530	160	6		2		6	1	3,000			13 00	85 50		12 00		1	20	100	300
Hudson	W. J. Stubbles,	600	410	210	33	1	6	17	24	3	430	1	250	7 72	51 45				2	20	120	350
Lexington	L. B. Kent,	50	500	137	7			4	1	1	3,500			3 00	41 00		12 75		1	21	161	420
Chenoa	A. C. Frick,	350	280	175			1												2	18	50	100
El Paso	F. M. Smith,	375	289	91	8	3	2		7			1	500	1 50	15 60		3 45		1	8	40	150
Pleasant Hill	G. B. Snedaker,	400	400	156	11	1	2	5	5	2	400	1	50	5 25	63 10		26 50		3	20	110	300
Kappa	H. H. Crosier,	200	140	80	5		2	5							3 80							
Metamora	H. Ritchie,	475	360	190	2	2	8	5	6	4	6,000	1	600	10 50	103 00	7 00	54 00	8 00	6	50	282	840
	G. W. Gray,	175	152																			

RECAPITULATION TABLE.—(Continued.)

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

DISTRICTS.	Claims.	Receipts.	Members.	Probationers.	Deaths.	Local Preachers.	Baptisms. Adults.	Baptisms. Children.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	For Conference Claimants.	For Missionary Societies.	For Tract Societies.	For Bible Societies.	For Sunday School Union.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Volumes in Library.
Peoria	.....	.....	1,487	115	20	23	60	89	20	$28 000	8	$ 6 950	$74 81	$219 26	$99 97	$ 14 95	$25 90	33	349	1,837	6,757
Canton	.....	.....	2,368	108	28	31	131	162	27	29 000	10	5 150	10 55	207 50	5 50	104 00	4 61	42	410	2,365	7.565
Macomb	.....	.....	1,958	136	11	24	76	95	13	17 300	5	3 150	19 75	176 92	4 00	68 30	11 28	24	231	946	3.675
Monmouth	.....	.....	1,858	211	24	14	107	77	14	28 800	9	5 300	27 13	270 64	.....	68	2 80	33	326	1.760	6.024
Rock Island	.....	.....	1,901	285	12	26	118	77	17	36 600	9	4 350	32 26	242 48	23 43	52 00	43 71	37	350	2.093	4.780
Kewanee	.....	.....	2,168	155	38	33	52	82	21	34 100	6	3 450	60 36	446 56	11 65	.....	30 31	44	360	2.253	6.599
Lasalle	.....	.....	1,396	132	11	26	50	49	16	29 300	8	2 875	16 36	204 69	7 00	120 25	3 83	30	325	1,613	4.737
Middleport	.....	.....	1,628	338	15	41	85	40	8	10 100	8	3 350	8 65	170 80	2 75	28 15	6 72	56	273	2.182	3.887
Washington	.....	.....	1,735	127	14	32	45	62	21	22 030	7	4 000	48 72	451 10	13 00	151 66	13 00	26	277	1,483	4.383
Swede Mission	.....	.....	923	164	8	8	.....	99	15	20 300	3	1 200	24 00	271 42	5 00	.....	4 00	3	15	89	175
TOTAL	.....	.....	17,416	1792	188	258	724	832	172	263 530	73	$39 775	$322 49	2,661 36	$82 30	$607 61	$146 16	348	3,016	25,121	47.582
Total for 1860	.....	.....	17,134	2144	177	242	847	895	168	286 700	58	36 690	444 24	2,331 56	60 39	167 50	137 24	322	3.158	16,497	57.884
Increase	.....	.....	282	.....	11	16	.....	.....	4	.....	15	3 085	.....	329 80	21 91	440 11	8 92	26	.....	8,643	
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	352	.....	.....	123	63	.....	23 169	.....	.....	121 65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	42	.....	10,302

Add. Public Col.,.....329.80
" Part Bequest,..... 68.34
A. D. Swarts,..... 50.00

Total Increase for Miss.,..... ..... 448.14

CHAPTER IV.

REPORTS.

NO. 1.—EDUCATION.

No fact in the history of the past is more apparent, than that, as a Conference, we have attempted too much—that in the effort to build up the numerous Institutions whose names have, from time to time, appeared on our records, we have divided and thus wasted an amount of resources and patronage which would have sufficed for the establishment of two or three strong Institutions. Does it not therefore behoove us in the present crisis to heed this lesson of the past, and seek earnestly to strengthen the things that remain, lest they too perish. The Illinois Wesleyan University, and the Hedding and Fulton Seminaries, which now enjoy our patronage, present in their annual returns a state of facts so encouraging as to justify earnest and hopeful efforts in their behalf. It is true that to some extent they are still encumbered with debt, but it is fortunately also true that these debts are moderate in amount, manageable in their character, and that much the larger proportion of the means necessary to liquidate them, has already been subscribed; while the University has, in addition, secured in notes and real estate, on enclosement, fund amounting to $25,000.00, unencumbered by scholarships. Is it not then at once our interest and our duty to concentrate all our energies, resources and patronage upon these Institutions, and thus place them upon the commanding positions they were designed to occupy, ere we engage in any new enterprises whatever, no matter how promising they may seem to be. Therefore:

Resolved, 1. That we deem it inexpedient to commence or encourage others to commence other literary enterprises, within our bounds, until the Institutions now enjoying the patronage of the Conference shall be established upon a permanent basis.

Resolved, 2. That in all our intercourse with our people, we will strive to awaken a general and hearty interest in this great work, and that in order, more effectually to accomplish this desirable end, we will, during the month of October, in all our congregations, preach especially upon the necessity of a universal diffusion of sanctified learning among the people.

ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.

The operations of the past year have exhibited the same prudent care and energy upon the part of the Trustees, Agent and Faculty of this Institution, which, in the past, have won for it so much of the confidence of the Conference. During the past year not only has the debt been materially reduced and the School made self-sustaining, but valuable improvements have been made upon the Grounds and Buildings, as well as important additions to its furniture, Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus and Museum of Natural History. So that now, we have not only strong guaranties of its permanence and final success, but also additional reasons for heartily commending it as eminently worthy of the confidence and patronage of our people. Therefore:

Resolved, 1. That we will heartily co-operate with the Board of Trustees and the Financial Agent of the University, in carrying out their plans for the present support, and permanent endowment of the Institution;—and that we will as far as may be practicable pay our annual instalments of interest at the sessions of our Conference, and thus diminish the cost and labor of collection.

Resolved, 2. That duty as well as interest demands that we should cherish our own Institutions, and that we will therefore use all consistent means to induce our young men who seek thorough Collegiate training, to patronize our own University, in preference to other public or denominational Schools, or even to Colleges under the control of our own Church in other Conferences.

Resolved, 3. That the Presiding Bishop be respectfully requested to re-appoint Rev. Oliver S. Munsell, D. D., to the presidency of the University.

Resolved, 4. That Revs. L. B. Kent, J. G. Evans and C. C. Knowlton of this body and W. H. Smith, Esq., of Lewistown, be appointed Trustees, in lieu of the class whose terms of office have expired at the present session of Conference.

Resolved, 5. That the Presiding Elder of the Washington District, and the preachers stationed at Bloomington, Lexington, Peoria 1st Charge, Metamora and La Salle be appointed a visiting Committee to the University for the current year.

Resolved, 6. That we cordially recognize Rev. C. W. C. Munsell as our Agent for the University and tender to him our hearty sympathy in his work.

HEDDING SEMINARY AND CENTRAL ILLINOIS FEMALE COLLEGE.

Notwithstanding the unwonted stringency of the times, under the efficient labors of Rev. P. T. Rhodes, Financial Agent, encouraging progress has been made in liquidating the debts and increasing the funds of this Institution. His report makes known to us the pleasing fact, that less than $1,600, in addition to its present assets will be required to free it from debt. It also

announces that valuable improvements have been made upon the Seminary Building, adding much to its beauty, convenience and durability. Meantime the School under the efficient management of Prof. John T. Dickinson, A. M., has been steadily advancing in all the elements of real strength and usefulness, and justly merits the confidence and support of an enlightened community. Therefore,

Resolved, 1. That we heartily recommend Hedding Seminary to the notice and patronage of our people, and that we will co-operate with its Trustees and Faculty in their praiseworthy efforts to establish it upon a permanent basis.

Resolved, 2. That Revs. J. Morey, P. T. Rhodes and Benj. Applebee, Jr., be appointed Trustees to fill the vacancies occuring this year.

Resolved, 3. That the Preachers stationed at Galesburg, Knoxville, Avon, Berwick, Abingdon Station and Circuit, Monmouth and Prairie City be appointed a visiting committee to the Seminary for the current year.

Resolved, 4. That the presiding Bishop be respectfully requested to appoint the Presiding Elder of the District in which the Seminary is located, its agent for the year.

FULTON SEMINARY.

The monetary and political difficulties of the country, during the past year, have operated disastrously upon the financial interests of this Institution and have almost wholly defeated the plans of its Trustees for its enlargement, by rendering the real estate upon which they relied for means, for the present, wholly unsaleable. But they nevertheless indulge the hope that by energetic action they may yet be able to redeem it from its embarassments. The School under the able management of its Principal, Rev. H. B. Taylor, A. M., has enjoyed a more than usual degree of prosperity and has worthily met the expectations of its friends. Therefore:

Resolved, 1. That we extend our hearty sympathy and co-operation to the Trustees of Fulton Seminary in their efforts to relieve it from debt, and establish it permanently.

Resolved, 2. That we cordially commend the Seminary to the patronage and confidence of our people.

Resolved, 3. That the Presiding Bishop be respectfully requested to re-appoint Rev. H. B. Taylor, A. M., to the Principalship of Fulton Seminary.

Resolved, 4. That the Presiding Elder of the Canton District and the Preachers stationed at Lewiston, Cuba, Ipavia and Canton be appointed a visiting committee to Fulton Seminary.

No. 2.—BIBLE CAUSE.

The American Bible Society still justly claims and enjoys the hearty co-operation of this Conference and has a strong hold upon the affections of our people. Feeling desirous of enlarging and extending the contribution among us for this honored Society, we urge each member of Conference to ascertain and report all sums collected from our people, distinguishing those paid over

to agents, from those paid our preachers. In view of the demand made upon the Bible Society for means to give a copy of God's word to each member of the United States Army, we urge all to enlarged liberality toward this cause.

No. 3.—TRACT CAUSE.

The committee to whom the Tract Cause was referred, beg leave to report that they are deeply impressed with the importance of the subject intrusted to their care, and they as deeply regret, that, according to the reports received only twenty-four of the members of the Conference have, during the past year, given any attention to this instrumentality of the Church, and the receipts in cash have been but $59 67.

We realize that the calls for liberal action in this department, from the missionary fields and from every part of our own country—from our army and navy, are earnest and unceasing. Therefore,

Resolved, 1. That every Preacher shall be instructed to give early attention to this subject and make collections wherever practicable.

Resolved, 2. That we will circulate the Good News to the extent of our ability in all our charges.

Resolved, 3. That we will in some mode, endeavor to circulate the tracts of our general catalogue, either from house to house, in the Sunday Schools, or in the congregations to which we minister.

Resolved, 4. That we will urge upon our members and friends the importance of liberally supplying our soldiers with religious reading—the tracts and volumes published by our Tract Society.

NO. 4.—TEMPERANCE.

We deem it unnecessary to enter into a discussion of the subject of temperance, at length. We presume the question sufficiently understood both by the ministry and the people.

We are compelled to believe that the present position of the temperance cause is far below the position it should occupy.

The liquor traffic legalized in our own State, appears to be increasing.—Intemperance prevails to such extent as to be cause of alarm, especially beer and wine drinking. We have had very little agitation generally for a number of years, and when attempts have been made to awaken public interest, it has been found impossible to secure that degree of interest which should be felt upon a question of such vast importance. It is indeed a matter of painful surprise that with the numerous and startling facts upon this subject constantly before us, so little interest should be felt upon this question. Another fact which we deem of very grave significance, is the disbanding to a very great

extent of temperance societies—societies in connection with whom very generally the temperance reform has been carried forward. The foregoing considerations, together with the state of affairs in our country, necessitating a large army composed largely of our young men, are sufficient to awaken great concern as to the triumph of the temperance cause in our land.

Resolved, 1. That as ministers and as christian citizens, we regard ourselves under obligations to use our utmost ability in advancing the cause of temperance.

Resolved, 2. That we have reason to think the making of domestic wines is tending to the encouraging of social and fashionable drinking.

Resolved, 3. That we deem the selling of grain to distilleries and the renting of buildings to be used in the liquor traffic inconsistent with the christian character.

Resolved, 4. That we think it not impossible that we have erred in the past, in failing to make the temperance reform distinctly a christian enterprise, giving it a more permanent basis than it has had in connection with irresponsible organizations.

Resolved, 5. That the question of a great christian temperance organization upon a liberal basis, like that of the American Bible Society, is worthy of careful and thorough attention.

Resolved, 6. That we as a Conference, re-affirm our conviction that the use of tobacco by christian ministers (who thereby give countenance to a practice which we think often lays the foundation for drunkeness,) ought to be *entirely* and *universally* dispensed with.

L. B. KENT.
L. P. CROUCH.

No. 5.—SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

We regard the Sunday Schools as the nursery of the Church, and as such they claim the careful attention and faithful co-operation of our ministers. Much of our present success as well as our future hopes depend upon our efforts in winning and moulding the youthful mind and heart, and as the Sunday School is an auxillary, assisting the pastor in feeding the lambs of the flock. Therefore,

Resolved, 1. That we urge upon our ministers the importance of observing the disciplinary course of organizing Schools at every point at the earliest date, and that we hereby request them to engage personally to the utmost of their ability in the labor of the Sunday Schools.

Resolved, 2. That the Sunday School Advocate should, by the pastors or otherwise, be introduced into every family where there are children or young persons within the bounds of our charges, and that parents and teachers in our Church should be urged to take and read the S. S. T. Journal.

Resolved, 3. That as a Church we have no connection with the American Sunday School Union, and dissuade our people from forming alliances with State Sunday School Associations to the detriment of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School Union.

Resolved, 4. That the Preachers in charge be requested to make up their Sunday School Statistics according to discipline, before leaving their works for Conference, as much discrepency appears in our reports.

Resolved, 5. That the Presiding Elders co-operate with the committee in holding anniversaries in every district.

Resolved, 6. That in Dr. Wise we recognize all that is necessary for a Sunday School Editor.

No. 6.—STATE OF OUR COUNTRY.

WHEREAS: A dangerous rebellion, inaugurated without just cause, exists in some of the States of the Union; and WHEREAS, our Government in this hour of peril needs the hearty sympathy and co-operation of all classes of citizens, therefore,

Resolved, 1. That we are in favor of the prosecution of the present war for the preservation of the Union and of constitutional liberty, until the rebellion is completely subdued, and the authority of the Government re-established in all the States, at whatever sacrifice of material or political interest.

Resolved, 2. That it is the duty of those in authority to show their respect for the law of God, and the Christian sentiment of the country, by suppressing intemperance in the Army and Navy, and by avoiding any unnecessary desecration of the Sabbath.

Resolved, 3. That our brethren of this Conference, who have taken positions in the Army, and all others who are engaged in the defence of their country, shall have our earnest and constant prayers for their safety and success.

Resolved, 4. That in accordance with the proclamation of the President of the United States, we will endeavor to secure the observance of Thursday, the 26th day of September, 1861, as a day of fasting and prayer in all our societies.

EXHIBIT OF THE METHODIST BOOK CONCERN.

NEW YORK, JAN. 1, 1861.

To the Central Illinois Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church:

DEAR BRETHREN:—We herewith submit our Annual Statement of the condition of the Book Concern, as it appeared December 31, 1860.

CARLTON & PORTER.

ASSETS:

1. REAL ESTATE.—House and Lot in Sixth-street,	$ 9,000 00		
House and Lot in Seventh-street,	9,500 00		
Buildings and Lots on Mulberry and Mott streets,	101,860 30		
Two Lots in Binghamton,	752 16		
Land in Michigan,	1,432 00		
Lot in San Francisco,	5,000 00		
Land in Hamilton, N. J.,	300 00		
Land in Jefferson, Missouri,	1,588 43		
	129,422 89		
Deduct for supposed depreciation on the above	7,817 21		
			$121,615 68
2. CASH.—Cash on hand,			20,429 49
3. MERCHANDISE.—Bound Books of every description, Editors' Library, Furniture, etc.,	144,204 39		
4. PRINTING OFFICE.—Presses, Type, Stereotype Plates, Paper, Tools and Wood-cuts,	116,177 93		
5. PACIFIC CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.—Press, Type, Paper, etc.,	3,500 00		
6. BINDERY.—Sheet-stock, Tools, Materials, etc.,	103,142 60		
			367,024 92
7. NOTES AND BOOK ACCOUNTS.—Due on Notes and Book Accounts,	182,888 90		
Deduct 33⅓ per cent. for bad debts,	62,129 63		
			120,759 27
Total Assets,			$629,829 36

LIABILITIES:

The Concern owes on Notes and Book Accounts as follows:

Notes,	$54,062 14	
Book Accounts,	4,142 34	
Total Liabilities,		58,204 48
Net Capital Stock,		$571,624 88

NOTE.—Deduct $540,721 80, the net capital of last year, from $571,624 88, the present capital, and the balance, $30,903 08, together with $12,588 82, paid on General Conference appropriations, shows the total profits of the Concern for 1860 to be $43,481 90.

EXHIBIT OF THE METHODIST BOOK CONCERN,

CINCINNATI, NOV. 30, 1860.

RESOURCES:

In Cincinnati:			
Books, bound and in sheets, Stationery, etc.,	$50,843 45		
Presses, Plates, Type, Printing Paper, etc.,	32,616 20		
Materials and Tools in Bindery,	5,398 78		
Editors' Library, Furniture in Offices, etc.,	1,200 00		
		$90,058 43	
Due from Chicago Depository,		37,672 74	
Notes and Accounts,	$61,078 77		
Less 20 per cent. for probable losses,	12,211 75		
		48,847 02	
Real Estate in Cincinnati,		75,000 00	
Building in Chicago,		20,725 07	
Stock in Cincinnati Fuel Company,		500 00	
Cash and Drafts,		13,394 27	
		$286,197 53	
In Chicago:			
Books, Stationery, etc.,	$13,077 31		
Type, Hand Press, and Fixtures in Printing Office,	490 02		
Office Furniture, Safe, Desks, etc.,	525 00		
Store Fixtures and amount due on joint walls of building,	2,700 00		
Notes and Accounts, $59,505 28			
Deduct 20 per cent. for probable losses, 11,901 05			
	47,604 23		
Cash and Drafts,	5,661 68		
		70,067 24	
In St. Louis:			
Accounts, Books, Type, Furniture in Office, etc.,		3,595 44	
		$359,860 21	

LIABILITIES:

In Cincinnati—Notes and Accounts	$81,618 80		
In Chicago—Current Accounts,	1,971 09		
Due Cincinnati Concern,	37,672 74		
		121,262 63	
Net Capital, November 30, 1860,		$238,597 58	
Deduct Net Capital, November 30, 1859,	$222,212 73		
Less amount paid by order of General Conference, $4,330 42			
Less loss on Central Christian Advocate, 4,559 20			
	8,889 62		
		213,323 11	
Profits for the year ending November 30, 1860,			$25,274 47

CHAPTER V.

Miscellaneous Resolutions.

Resolved, That each Preacher in charge within the bounds of this Conference, be expected to report hereafter in conformity to the requirements of the Discipline, Part IV, Sec. 2, sixth paragraph (in reference to reporting Missionary Collections,) and that such report be published in the Conference minutes.

Resolved, That each Preacher in charge shall report to the Board of Managers of the Conference Missionary Society at the next session, the numbers of members and probationers in the bounds of his charge and the number who pay any sum for the cause of Missions, (so far as it can be ascertained.)

Resolved, That all candidates for admission on trial shall hereafter be examined by the Presiding Elder of the District and Preacher in charge of the Circuit or Station from which they are recommended.

Resolved, That the Bishops be requested, if practicable, to fix the time of our annual session between the 15th of September and the middle of October, and to commence on Thursday.

WHEREAS, This Conference has received information which induces the belief that Rev. Jacob Bredburg contemplates a cessation of his relation to our ministry and Church, thereby rendering his appointment to any charge embarrassing, therefore,

Resolved, That his case be left in the hands of the Presiding Elder of the District for examination, who shall have power to employ him if convinced of his loyalty to the Church.

WHEREAS, The last General Conference made provision for submitting the subject of Lay Representation in the General Conference before the male members over twenty-one years of age and in full connection in their several charges, at a meeting duly notified on two successive Sabbaths, said meeting to be held at some convenient period between the sessions of the respective Annual Conferences in 1861 and 1862, and the results to be certified to the Annual Conference next succeeding the taking of the vote by the Preacher in charge, specifying the number voting for and the number voting against Lay Representation. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Preachers in charge of the various Circuits and Stations in thi Conference be required to carry out these requirements during the month of May, said vote to be taken by ballot in all cases.

Resolved, That it is contrary to our doctrines and usages for a minister to re-baptize a person and in the judgment of this Conference it would be sufficient cause to arrest the passage of his character.

Resolved, That the Bishops be respectfully requested not to transfer Preachers from other Conferences to this, unless their transfer is asked by this Conference.

WHEREAS, We believe that the publication of Bishop Ames sermon on the "Evidences of Christianity" would be productive of great good if published in tract form, therefore,

Resolved, That we respectfully request the Bishop to furnish a copy for publication by the Tract Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

WHEREAS, We learn that Brother John W. Flowers is about to be transferred from us, therefore,

Resolved, 1. That we recognize in Brother Flowers the faithful friend, the amiable christian gentleman, and the able and useful minister of the gospel.

Resolved, 2. That if at any future time brother Flowers should see his way clear to return to us, we will give him a brotherly welcome.

The following question was submitted to the chair:

Should the Quarterly Conference examine the characters and renew the license of Preachers on trial?

Answer by the Chair.—It should, in order that there may be an official record of their standing, as in the case of Local Preachers.

A resolution was passed, requiring Preachers in charge to bring to Conference a certificate from the Recording Steward of amounts of claims and receipts, and the usual statistics of the Church.

The following was submitted to the chair for decision:

When an Annual Conference assigns to any of its members special duties, such as Agents, Trustees, or Visitors of Literary Institutions, is it proper to arrest the character of such members for non-performance of such duties?

The Bishop decided that the question was one in which the Conference should exercise its decision.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference is hereby tendered to the citizens of Lacon and vicinity for the kind and hospitable manner in which they have entertained the members of this body during our session.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference is hereby tendered the pastors of the Churches of this city, for the use of their Churches on the Sabbath.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference is hereby tendered the stationed Preacher of Lacon and the Presiding Elder of LaSalle District for their diligence in providing for our comfort.

CHAPTER VI.

OFFICERS OF SOCIETIES, COMMITTEES, &C.

CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

PRESIDING BISHOP,.....*President Ex-Officio,*
WM. H. HUNTER,.....*Vice-President,*
J. G. EVANS,.....*Secretary,*
JOHN BORLAND,.....*Treasurer,*

Board of Managers—J. B. QUINBY, L. P. CROUCH, A. MOREY, B. C. SWARTS, L. B. KENT, J. MATTHEWS, N. PETERSON, T. COTTON, J. T. WHITSON.

CONFERENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIETY.

N. C. LEWIS,.....*Vice-President,*
L. B. KENT,.....*Secretary,*
A. D. McCOOL,.....*Treasurer,*

DISTRICT S. S. COMMITTEES.

Peoria District—Rev. J. S. Cumming, Peoria; L. L. Guyer, Esq., Brimfield.

Canton District—Rev. L. P. Crouch, Canton; L. J. Washburn, Esq., Prairie City.

Macomb District—Rev. B. B. Kennedy, Blandinville; Edward Dyer, Esq., Bushell.

Monmouth District—Rev. A. C. Price, Monmouth; Seth Redman, Esq., Keithsburgh.

Rock Island District—Rev. John P. Brooks, Rock Island; D. S. Metzar, Port Byron.

LaSalle District—Rev. R. A. Cowan; J. P. Hays, Esq., Hennepin.

Kewanee District—Rev. W. J. Smith, Lafayette; J. D. Shriver, Esq., Kewanee.

Middleport District—Rev. D. M. Hill, Onarga; Henry Ball, Esq., Loda.

Washington District—Rev. B. Applebee, Jr., Washington; C. W. Holden, Bloomington.

Swede Mission District—Rev. L. Linquist, Galesburg; Andrew Cassel, Esq., Glendale.

CONFERENCE TRACT SOCIETY.

PRESIDING BISHOP,.....*President Ex-Officio.*
W. C. CUMMINGS,.....*Vice-President,*
G. G. WORTHINGTON,.....*Secretary,*
M. L. HANEY,.....*Corresponding Secretary,*
W. H. HUNTER,.....*Treasurer.*

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION FOR THE NEXT CONFERENCE.

To examine Applicants for Admission on Trial—Presiding Elder and Preacher in charge.

First Year—N. C. Lewis, G. W. Brown, J. B. Mills, J. G. Evans.

Second Year—P. T. Rhodes, A. Morey, W. Watson, J. H. Scott.

Third Year—J. Borland, J. Matthews, C. C. Knowlton.

Fourth Year—J. Luccock, G. C. Woodruff, W. P. Graves, O. S. Monsell.

J. G. Evans is appointed to preach the Annual Missionary Sermon.

Committee to examine Local Preachers recommended for Deacons Orders—G. N. Irwin, L. P. Crouch.

Committee to examine Local Deacons recommended for Elders Orders—G. G. Worthington, W. J. Smith.

VISITING COMMITTEES.

To Illinois Wesleyan University—L. B. Kent, J. G. Evans, J. S. Cumming, J. Windsor, J. C. Rybolt.

To Fulton Seminary—Henry Summers, L. P. Crouch, C. Springer, W. S. Peterson, J. Cavett.

To Hedding Seminary—W. H. Hunter, O. M. Pollard, Wm. Haney, W. B. Carithers, A. Fisher, G. W. Havermale, W. Underwood A. C. Price.

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES FOR HEDDING SEMINARY.

John Morey, P. T. Rhodes, Benjamin Applebee, Jr.

ADDRESS OF BISHOPS.

Entered the Ministry.			Elected Bishop.
1816,	Thomas A. Morris,.....	Springfield, Ohio,.....	1836
1830,	Edmond S. Janes,.....	New York,.....	1844
1826,	Levi Scott,.....	Wilmington, Del., ...	1852
1833,	Matthew Simpson,.....	Evanston, Ill,.....	1852
1839,	Osman C. Baker,.....	Concord, N. H,.....	1852
1830,	Edward R. Ames,.....	Indianapolis, Ind,.....	1852

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL ILLINOIS CONFERENCE.

THEIR RELATION, ADDRESS, &c.

The letters in the column headed "Conference Joined" represent: R. R., Rock River; W. V., Western Virginia; Pa., Peoria; Ill., Illinois; O., Ohio; C. Ill., Central Illinois; N. O., North Ohio; Hol., Holston; E. Gen., East Genesee. Those in the next column stand P., for Probationer; D., for Deacon; E., for Elder; P. E., for Presiding Elder; Ste., Superannuate. The figures in the right hand column indicate year or years of appointment to present field of labor. The Post Office Address of each Preacher is given, as far as they were furnished the Committee, or could be ascertained by them.

NAMES.	Year of Birth.	Native State.	Joined Traveling connection.	Conference joined.	Minister's standing.	Year in Appointment.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Ackerman, D.,	1827	N. Y.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Reading.
Anderson, A. J.,	1833	Sn.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Chicago.
Apple, H. Jr.,	.....	Ill.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	2	Southampton.
Applebee, B. Jr.,	1820	O.,	1846	R. R.,	E.,	2	Washington.
Baker, S. B.,	.....	N. Y.,	.....	R. R.,	E.,	1	Hopper's Mills.
Bartels, J.,	1835	O.,	1857	Pa.,	E.,	1	Berlin.
Beck, W. J.,	1824	Ind.,	1851	R. R.,	E.,	1	Chillicothe.
Bogges, F. R.,	1823	Va.,	1854	W. V.,	E.,	2	Fairview.
Borland, J.,	1819	Scot.,	1847	Ill.,	E.,	1	Groveland.
Bower, Aaron,	1829	Penn.,	1856	W. V.,	E.,	1	Hudson.
Brink, S.,	1838	Ill.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Tennessee.
Brooks, John P.,	1826	O.,	1850	R. R.	E.,	2	Rock Island.
Brown, G. W.,	1815	O.,	1838	N. O.,	E.,	2	Henry.
Bruner, Elias,	.....	.....	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Kankakee City.
Carithers, W. B.	1829	O.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Berwick.

NAMES.	Year of Birth.	Native State.	Joined traveling connection.	Conference joined.	Minister's standing.	Year in Appointment.	POST OFFICE ADDRESS.
Carlston, Errick,.....	.....	Sn.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	2	Chicago.
Cavett, John,.....	1829	Tenn.,	1852	Ill.,	D.,	2	Ipavia.
Chaffe, F. M.,.....	.....	.....	1854	R. R.,	E.,	1	Pennington's Point.
Challman, P.,.....	1823	Sn.,	1853	R. R.,	P. E.,	5	Altona.
Chandler, J.,.....	1797	Conn.,	1824	O.,	P. E.,	2	Peoria.
Cornell, H. M.,.....	1836	R. I.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Young America.
Cotton, T. S., ...	1824	Eng.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Pontiac.
Cowen, R. A.,.....	.....	.....	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Tonica.
Craig, J. B.,.....	1828	Mo.,	1851	R. R.,	E.,	1	Lewiston.
Cosler, J. M.,.....	....	.....	1859	Pa.,	D.,	2	Ash Grove.
Crouch, L. P.,.....	1833	N. Y.,	1852	R. R.,	E.,	2	Canton.
Crozier, H. H., ...	1837	Vt.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Dillon.
Crist, P. A.,.....	1829	O.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	El Paso.
Cumming, W. C.,.....	1799	Va.,	1822	Hols.,	E.,	1	Minonk.
Cumming, J. S.,.....	1832	Va.,	1853	R. R.,	E.,	1	Peoria.
Day, A. E., ...	1825	N. Y.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Mazon.
Dewey, Myron,.....	1834	N. Y.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Waupekan.
Dewey, V. M.,.....	1835	N. Y.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Blandinville.
Dille, J B.,.	1836	O.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Loda.
Elliott, S. A., ...	1836	Pa.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Sunbeam.
Erikson, A.,.....	1815	Sn.,	1852	R. R.,	E.,	1	Andover.
Evans, J. G.,.....	1833	Ill.,	1854	R. R.,	E.,	1	Lexington.
Ferguson J.,.....	1838	Pa.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Timber.

Fisher, A.,	.....	N. Y.,	1849	R. R.,	E.,	1	Abingdon.
Fleharty, J. J.,	1835	Ill.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Port Byron.
Frick, A. C.,	1837	Ill.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Mackinaw.
Giddings, U. J.,	1817	N. H.,	1846	R. R.,	E.,	2	Victoria.
Gilbert, J. O.,	1808	N. Y.,	1846	R. R.,	E.,	Ste.,	Kewanee.
Graves, W. P.,	1820	N. Y.,	1844	Troy,	E.,	1	Kewanee.
Gray, G. W.,	.....	O.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Hamilton.
Grundy, John,	1819	Eng.,	1845	R. R.,	E.,	2	Avoca.
Gue, G. W.	1840	O.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Farmington.
Hall, Zadoc,	1801	Del.,	1832	Ill.,	P. E.,	2	Washington.
Hamilton, S. L.,	1841	Mich.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Wyoming.
Haney, William,	1810	Pa.,	1836	Ill.,	E.,	1	Avon.
Haney, M. L.,	1825	O.,	1846	R. R.,	E.,	1	Bushnell.
Harris, J. L.,	1831	O.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Hennepin.
Havermale, G. W.,	1831	Md.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Abingdon.
Heckard, M. D.,	1832	O.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Dallas City.
Hepperly, A. H.,	1819	Pa.,	1853	R. R.,	E.,	1	Galva.
Higgins, A. C.,	1834	Va.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Prairie City.
Hill, D. M.,	1830	Eng.,	1850	C. W.,	E.,	2	Onarga.
Hunter, W. H.,	1813	Pa.,	1836	Erie,	E.,	2	Galesburg.
Irvine, A.,	1834	Pa.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	...	Sheldon.
Irwin, G. M.,	1832	O.,	1854	R. R.,	E.,	2	Tiskilwa.
Jones, A. J.,	1828	N. Y.,	1855	R. R.,	E.,	2	Brimfield.
Jones, Z. R.,	1831	O.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Ottawa.
Kaufman, Bunis E.,	1835	O.,	1855	R. R.,	E.,	1	Illinois City.
Keith, H. H.,	1826	.....	1855	Ind.,	E.,	1	Southampton.
Keller, Ahab,	1804	Va.,	1831	Pitts.,	E.,	1	Princeville.

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Kent, L. B.,	1830	N. Y.,	1850	Ind.,	E.,	1	Bloomington.
Kenady, B. B.,	1824	Pa.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Blandinville.
Kerns,, Josiah,	1827	O.,	1854	R. R.,	E.,	1	Victoria.
Kinne, R.,	1818	N. Y.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Atkinson.
Kirkpatrick, J. L.,	1803	Ill.,	1838	Ill.,	E.,	Ste.,	Blandinville.
Knowlton, C. C.,	1830	N. Y.,	1855	Ky.,	D.,	1	Lacon.
Knowlton, J. C.,	1826	Mass.,	1855	R. R.,	E.,	..	Smithville.
Lewis, N. C.,	1815	Conn.,	1843	N. Y.,	E.,	1	Geneseo.
Linthicum, J. T.,	.....	O.,	1843	Ill.,	E.,	1	Sheffield.
Lindquist, L.,	1825	Sn.,	1859	Pa.,	D.,	1	Galesburg.
Lokey, George,	.....	.....	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Mazon.
Luccock, J.,	1803	Eng.,	1831	Pitts.,	P. E.,	1	Peoria.
Magee, A.,	1807	Pa.,	1840	Pitts.,	P. E.,	2	Macomb.
Main, D. L.,	.....	.....	1839	Pa.,	P.,	1	Snatchwine.
Mathews, Jacob,	1819	Md.,	1854	R. R.,	E.,	2	Wyoming.
McCool, A. D.,	1827	O.,	1853	R. R.,	E.,	1	Macomb.
Miller, G. W.,	1818	Ind.,	1851	R. R.,	E.,	1	Carthage.
Mills, J. B.,	1816	Va.,	1850	Wis.,	E.,	1	Gilson.
Millington, Jos.,	.....	.....	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Round Grove.
Millsaps, J. S.,	1828	Ind.,	1853	R. R.,	E.,	1	LaPrairie Centre.
Moffatt, R. H.,	.....	.....	1837	Ill.,	E.,	Ste.,	Reading.
Morey, John,	.....	.....	1834	O.,	P. E.,	1	Abingdon.
Morey, Amos,	1812	Me.,	1854	R. R.,	E.,	2	Ellison.
Morey, G. M.,	1835	O.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Weathersfield.

Munsell, O. S.,	1825	O.,	1856	Ill.,	E.,	4	Bloomington.
Newburg, Peter,	1818	Sn.,	1856	Pa.,	E.,	2	Victoria.
Oliver, D.,	1819	O.,	1843	Ill.,	E.,	1	LaHarpe.
Palmer, G. R.,	1834	Va.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Macomb.
Penfield, E. H.,	1835	O.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	MtLangum.
Peterson, Niels,	1829	Sn.,	1855	R. R.,	E.,	1	Glendale.
Peterson, W. S.,	1834	O.,	1857	Iowa,	D.,	1	Lewiston.
Pierce, R. G.,	1837	Scot.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Metamora.
Pollard, O. W.,	1831	R. I.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	2	Knoxville.
Popejoy, H.,	.....	.....	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Chatsworth.
Presson, H.,	1816	Me.,	1852	R. R.,	E.,	2	Henderson.
Presson, B.,	1831	O.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Pekin.
Presson, W. A.,	1827	O.,	1856	R. R.,	E.,	1	Lewiston.
Price, A. C.,	1828	Pa.,	1856	Pa.,	E.,	2	Monmouth.
Quinby, J. B.,	1822	Md.,	1848	R. R.,	E.,	2	Kickapoo.
Ransom, E. Jr.,	1820	N. Y.,	1851	R. R.,	P. E.,	1	Toulon.
Rhodes, P. T.,	1820	O.,	1849	R. R.,	E.,	1	Middleport.
Ritchie, H.,	1828	Ill.,	1850	R. R.,	P. E.,	1	Tonica.
Rutledge, J. E.,	1834	Va.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Oquawka.
Rybolt, J. C.,	.....	O.,	1843	O.,	E.,	Ste.,	LaSalle.
Sanders, J. H.,	1837	N. J.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Granville.
Scott, J. H.,	1824	Pa.,	1850	Wis.,	E.,	1	New Boston.
Shaffer, G. W.,	1824	Pa.,	1853	E. Gen.,	E.,	1	French Creek.
Sheldon, James,	1810	Can.,	1856	Pa.,	D.,	1	Deanington.
Smith, Frank,	1822	Ky.,	1843	Ill.,	P. E.,	4	Lexington.
Smith, S. B.,	1818	Ky.,	1843	Ill.,	E.,	1	Wenona.

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Smith, W. J.,	1820	Tenn.,	1848	R. R.,	E.,	1	LaFayette.
Smith, F. M.,	1833	Ky.,	1854	R. R.,	E.,	1	Chenoa.
Smith, J. B.,	1831	Ky.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Groveland.
Smith, J. D.,	1837	N. J.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Whitefield.
Smithson, R.,	.....	.....	.....	.....	E.,	1	So. Ottowa.
Snedaker, G. B.,	1828	O.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Lexington.
Springer, C.,	1831	O.,	1854	R. R.,	E.,	2	Cuba.
Spurlock, M.,	1833	Va.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Magnolia.
Steward, J. W.,	1838	N. Y.,	1858	Pa.,	D.,	1	Peoria.
Stubbles, W. J.,	1819	Md.,	1856	Pa.,	E.,	1	Marshall.
Summers, Henry,	1801	Va.,	1832	Ill.,	P. E.,	1	Farmington.
Swartz, B. C.,	1827	Ill.,	1847	R. R.,	E.,	2	Farmington.
Taylor, H. B.,	1822	Vt.	1845	Troy,	E.,	3	Lewiston.
Taylor, J. D.,	1812	Eng.,	1856	Pa.,	E.,	1	Millersburgh.
Tiffany, H.,	.....	.....	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	New Michigan.
Tullis, A. K.,	1833	Ill.,	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Utah.
Underwood, W.,	.....	O.,	1853	R. R.,	E.,	1	Prairie City.
Warner, P.,	.....	.....	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Kappa.
Wasmuth, E.,	1830	Ger.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	2	Moline.
Watson, Thomas.,	1820	Ire.,	1856	Pa.,	E.,	2	Woodhull.
Watson W.,	1830	N. Y.,	1855	R. R.,	E.,	2	Oneida.
Westley, Joseph.,	.....	.....	1860	C. Ill.,	P.,	1	Geneseo.
Vitting, V.,	1825	Sn.,	1855	R. R.,	E.,	2	Rockford.

Wheat, B. P.,	1811	N. Y.,	1848	O.,	E.,	Ste.,	Marshall.
Whitson, J. T.,	1826	Pa.,	1856	Pa.,	E.,	2	Port Byron.
Williams, P. I.,	1835	Pa.,	1859	Pa.,	P.,	1	Milford.
Windsor, J. A.,	1828	Md.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	1	Metamora.
Westergreen, N. O.,	1834	Sn.,	1857	Pa.,	D.,	..	Attica.
Woodruff, G. C.,	1807	N. Y.,	1830	One.,	E.,	1	Genesco.
Worthington, G. G.,	1797	Md.,	1835	Ill.,	E.,	Ste,	Groveland.
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